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25 July 1951

MEMORANDUM FOR: NIS Committee Members
Dr. Appleton, State
Lt. Col. Kiel, Army
Capt. Kirten, Navy
Major Rush, Air Force

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SUBJECT : [REDACTED] NIS [REDACTED]

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REFERENCE : Letter [REDACTED] to Assistant
Director for Collection & Dissemination, CIA, of 2 July 1951
(TSJ/10/1/101)

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1. The NIS Committee agreed at its meeting of 24 October 1950 to

[REDACTED] NIS publications on all areas under cognizance
of [REDACTED] subject to the policies of the State-Defense Military
Information Committee, and excepting NIS elements which are specifically
controlled by a producing Agency. 25X1X7

2. By reference letter the [REDACTED] has
requested, on the basis of reasons set forth therein, that favorable
consideration be given by CIA to the widening [REDACTED] 25X1X7
[REDACTED] and concomitantly, that NIS on the USSR, Satellite countries
[REDACTED] and the Middle East, [REDACTED] 25X1X7 25X1C8a

3. The Assistant Director for Collection & Dissemination, CIA by
memorandum of 5 July 1951 to the Director of Central Intelligence
recommended approval of this request. The Security Officer, CIA, by
endorsement, recommended approval through "Secret" provided the publications
are screened by originating office or OCD for protecting intelligence sources
and methods and they go to [REDACTED] On 13 July 1950, the Office of
the Director of Central Intelligence approved the recommendation and
endorsement.

4. It is therefore requested that the NIS Committee Members obtain
the views of their respective agencies relative to [REDACTED] 25X1C8a
the intelligence contained in the NIS on USSR, Satellite countries, and the
Middle East, to [REDACTED] It is further requested that these

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views be reported at the NIS Committee Meeting of 31 July 1951, so that necessary action may be taken in this matter.

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Chairmen,
NIS Committee

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